

County Correspondence

News of our neighboring villages as gleaned each week by our special staff of correspondents

VESTABURG NEWS

By Our Own Correspondent

Stanley and Edna Venton of Ferris have been spending the week with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary Venton.

Mrs. John Howay returned from Alma, Wednesday.

A. Sprague returned from Middleton, Wednesday evening.

Orval Hancock and John Howay, who are doing a job of work in Carson City, were home over Sunday.

Miss Corrigan of Lakeview called on Miss Mildred Tupper, Thursday. Mrs. Effie Hopkins of Elwell spent the latter part of the week with her sister, Mrs. Stitts.

Miss Audrey Tanner was in Stanton, Thursday.

Mrs. George Peasley and son returned from Homer, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Doer of Edmore visited Mrs. Cora Corder, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davenport and children of Riverdale came Saturday evening to visit the former's sister, Mrs. David Manley, and other friends. Casper Sutton was in Alma, Friday.

John Horton, B. F. Elliott and Hugh Walker were home from Edmore, over Sunday.

Miss Zodie Zewer came from Greenville, Saturday evening, to visit her aunt, Mrs. Francis Zewer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stratton entertained their daughter and children of Ithaca the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Thomas Caris and son, Earl, are here from Crystal getting their house in shape so as to move here before long.

David Manley, wife and son, accompanied by Mrs. Blanche Manley and daughter and John Davenport, wife and children, autoed to Evert, Sunday, to visit at the home of Mrs. David Manley and John Davenport's mother, Mrs. Ed Priest and are to return Monday.

Mrs. Gott and son have returned to their home in Ionia, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Hattie Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Skidmore are home from Detroit as Mr. Skidmore is having a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert O'Laughlin and daughter of Saginaw came Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eavy.

Mr. Sin Clair, who was overcome by the heat Saturday while working on the farm is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Skidmore are entertaining her parents from near Detroit.

R. B. Elliott, who lives north of town, lost a horse last week, which lived to the rare age of 36 years. Several years ago he was driven from Vestaburg across country to Missouri and back again. He has been worked in the lumber woods, worked on stump pullers and did farm work, etc. He has been owned in the vicinity of Vestaburg nearly all of his life and was raised by Benjamin Corder, whose son, James, says he knows he is 36 years old, as it was a colt and owned by his father at the time he was a baby. It is very seldom that horses live to such an age. If there is an older horse in Montcalm or Gratiot counties let us hear about it.

Rufus Denning and wife of Jerseyville visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caszatt, Thursday.

Mrs. M. J. Briggs spent from Friday until Saturday evening in Edmore with her daughter.

Mrs. Iva McDole spent the week end in Edmore with Mrs. Minnie Cook.

Mrs. Henry Caszatt visited relatives in Greenville, Wednesday.

Mrs. Jake Snyder and son, returned to Edmore, Friday evening after visiting Mrs. J. P. Snyder and other relatives.

C. L. Nichols of Riverdale was in town, Saturday.

Mrs. Harzey Fisher visited friends in Alma, Saturday.

John Hiller and family spent Saturday in Edmore.

Ruth Miller of Elwell visited at the home of Mrs. Anna Smith, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood and daughter returned from their visit in Homer, Saturday evening.

J. Naldrett was here from Riverdale, Sunday, and called on John Goho.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Mangle entertained on Sunday, Thomas Caris, wife and son, Earl, of Crystal; Fred Wadle, wife and children of Pine Grove and Ralph Hall, wife and children of Vestaburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bomis, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Schnepf and children, autoed here from Riverdale, Sunday, and were guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caris.

Mrs. Adam Caszatt of Pennsylvania, came Thursday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caszatt.

George Reed and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harzey Fisher, who autoed to Coldwater to visit relatives returned home, Monday.

Will Mallory and family of North Star and son-in-law, Royal Munson and family of Ashley, autoed here Wednesday, August 16th, and accompanied by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Mallory, Mrs. Chas. Hamlin, and son, Delbert, and his son, L. D., autoed to Blanchard and spent the day at the home of Willard Mallory's nephews, where there was a gathering of relatives in honor of the 40th birthday anniversary of Willard Mallory and the 75th birthday of his father, C. H. Mallory. Father and son being born on the same date August 16th.

Mrs. Martha Walker is entertaining her niece, Miss Jessie McCullum of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornell were at Crystal Lake, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Watters, who have been guests of Mrs. Myrta Cummings, have returned to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Priest entertained on Saturday, his son, George, and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Winn.

Chas. Nickerson accompanied by his mother, Mrs. George Nickerson and aunt, Mrs. C. O. Sherwood, also uncle John Nickerson of Stanton, autoed near Perrinton, Tuesday August 15th, to attend the reunion and picnic of the Fulton Center school of which they were students. A very pleasant time is reported by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Evans accompanied the latter's sister, Mrs. John Taft, who has been visit here and at Alma, to her home near Winn, Monday, and expect to spend the week at her home.

Chas. Nickerson and family, accompanied by Roy McGillivray and his mother, Mrs. McGillivray, daughter, Frances and friend Miss Elders of Elkton, who are camping at the C. Moblo cottage at Bass Lake, autoed to Crystal, Sunday.

Oris Mack, wife and son of Riverdale were Wednesday visitors of his father, Silas Mack and his wife.

Mr. Wagoner of Ithaca returned to his home Wednesday morning after visiting Frank Cummings.

Little Miss Neoma Marlin, who has been visiting her grandparents in Ithaca returned home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eichorn accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Vance and their little sisters, also niece, Neoma Marlin, autoed here Thursday to attend the Sunday school picnic and visit her sister, Mrs. Ethel Marlin.

Thomas Meddick, wife and son, have returned from their outing at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Blanche Manley and Mrs. Edna Manley and son, spent Wednesday in Riverdale.

Miss Gladys Gritzmaker of Ionia is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ferry Connors.

Miss Nina Scranton is back at the central office after visiting friends in Grand Rapids.

V. D. Throop, daughter, Mrs. Clarence Caris, and Miss Dora Perkins, autoed to McBride, Wednesday, in Clarence Caris's auto which he purchased of the former's son, Harry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Caris accompanied by her cousins of Kalkaska autoed to Lansing to visit relatives.

Elwood Pangburn returned from Alma, Friday evening.

Mrs. Frank Bollinger is on the sick list.

Mrs. Eva Beach is reported as better at this writing and was taken to Bass Lake Monday to spend a few days.

Mrs. Friend Evans, who has been quite sick is resting easier.

Master Lynn Amel came from Chicago, Thursday, to visit his grandmother, Mrs. Ellen Nevills.

Mrs. Sidney Snook spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Greenville.

Fred Evans came from Lansing, Tuesday evening, with the body of his two year old son, which he took to the home of his brother, Freeman Evans, where services were held Wednesday morning. Interment took place Wednesday at eleven o'clock in the family lot in the Vestaburg cemetery.

What makes it more sad Mrs. Evans, who has a baby of ten days of age was unable to accompany the remains of her little son who died after a few days illness with cholera infantum. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have the heartfelt sympathy of all their relatives and friends.

Ralph Snook and wife returned to Greenville Monday evening taking their son home with them as he has been visiting his grandparents for several weeks.

Mrs. Bertha Harding spent Wednesday in Alma.

Ed Harding went to Detroit Wednesday evening and returned home, Thursday evening with a new five-passenger Dodge which he had purchased.

Miss Edith Vance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vance of Ithaca and Clarence Eichorn of near Ithaca were quietly married at North Star, Wednesday, August 16th, in the presence of their young friends, who autoed to North Star with them to be the bride's maid and best man. The bride is well known in Vestaburg, having lived here when a child and until a few years ago when her parents moved to Ithaca.

Mrs. Eichorn is highly respected by her many friends in Vestaburg and they join in wishing the bride and groom a long, happy and prosperous married life. Mr. and Mrs. Eichorn are at home to their friends at their farm home near Ithaca.

Mrs. S. Miller, widow of Solomon Miller, was united in marriage to Frank Bollinger, Thursday afternoon, August 17th, at the groom's farm home, north and east of Vestaburg.

Elder Craybill of the Brethren church officiated in the presence of a few relatives. Those present were the bride's parents and children, the groom's children and mother, nephew, Daniel Bollinger and his sister, Mrs. Sarah Royer, who has been keeping house for him since the death of his wife and her children. A bounteous wedding supper was served, after which they departed for their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger came to the bride's home in Vestaburg. Later in the evening those in town and near town that had not heard of the marriage made aware of the fact when the guns, bells, and all that goes to make music for a wedding serenade began to make the announcement to all and continued to do so until the

groom told them to come with him and he took them to Earl Walker's and treated to candy and cigars. Mr. and Mrs. Bollinger, who live at the groom's farm home, have the best wishes of their many friends.

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FOREST HILL

John Lashaw is quite sick at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Post and daughters and Blanch Hamilton spent the week end in Durand.

The L. A. S. met with Mrs. Mabel Leland, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Failing and family, the Misses Ruth Struble and Elsie Thompson, and Jay Sprague spent Sunday at Grand Lodge. Adolph Wilks and family spent Sunday at Rock and Bass Lake.

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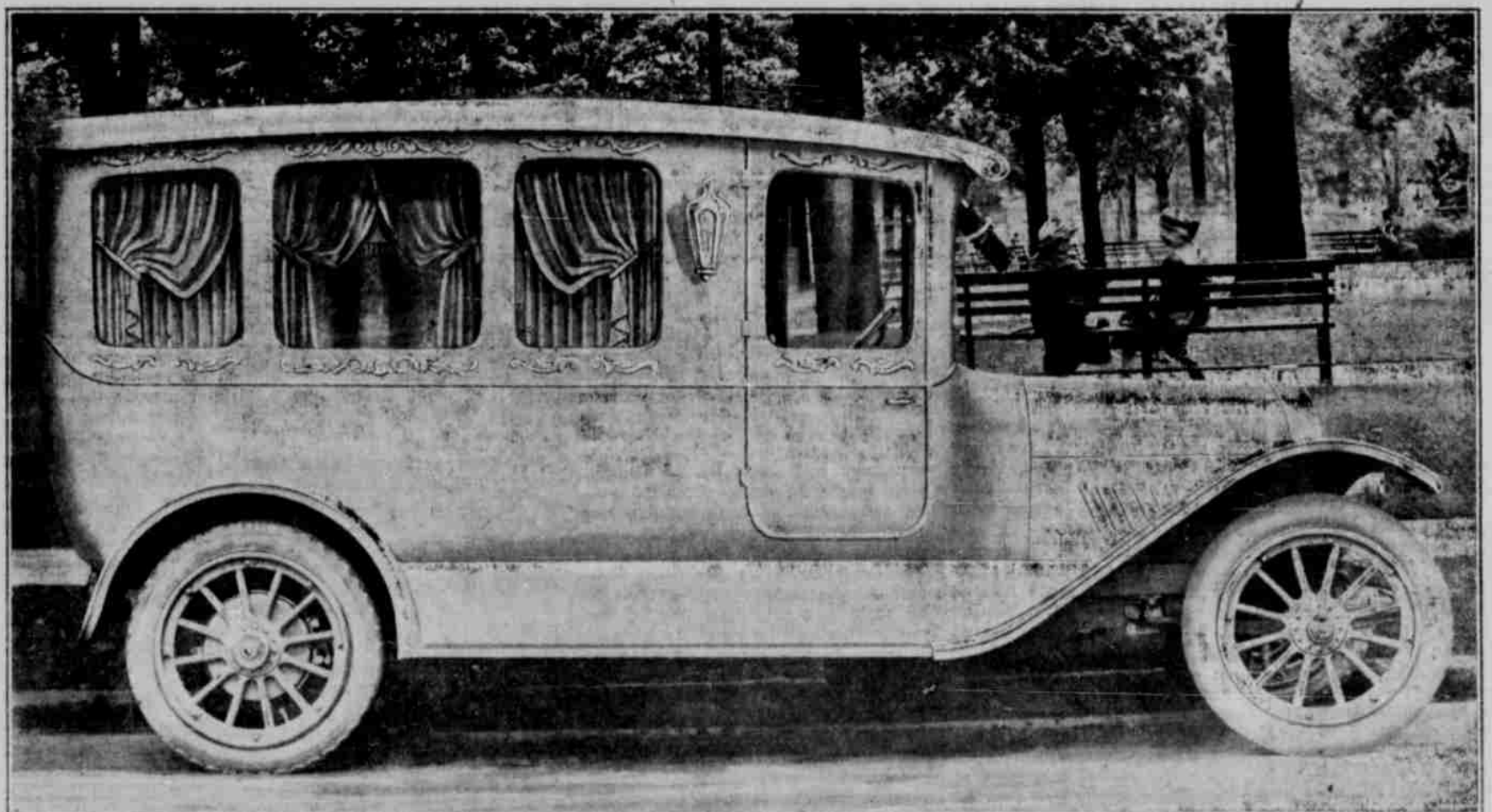
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